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ENCLOSURES:

TO THE BUREAU:

Original and one (1) copy of LHM characterizing informants used in attached report.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

On 1/16/67, NO 1457-C-TE advised that on 1/13/67 TRAFFICANTE had been in telephonic contact with CARLOS MARCELLO. MARCELLO apparently did not discuss any business with TRAFFICANTE on the telephone, but had his brother, JOSEPH MARCELLO, call a number back, presumably in Fla., and then discussed some unknown business with TRAFFICANTE.

On 1/30/67, NO 1457-C-TE advised that TRAFFICANTE, accompanied by his wife, had arrived New Orleans sometime before 5:00 PM on 1/27/67 and were currently staying in Room 758, Fountainebleau Motel, New Orleans. He stated that JOSEPH MARCELLO and his wife had taken the TRAFFICANTES to dinner at the Emerald Door on Fri. night, 1/27/67, and that TRAFFICANTE himself had spent most of Saturday at the CARLOS MARCELLO residence. He remarked that CARLOS MARCELLO's wife, JOSEPH MARCELLO's wife, and TRAFFICANTE's wife, had spent the day shopping and that later in the evening, CARLOS MARCELLO and his wife had taken the TRAFFICANTES to the La Louisiane Restaurant for dinner and had returned to the CARLOS MARCELLO residence around 11:00 P.M.

He remarked that on Sunday, 1/29/67, the two MARCELLO brothers had entertained TRAFFICANTE at a private dinner at Elmwood Plantation and the several other individuals who are not known at the time, had also been present. He remarked that TRAFFICANTE appeared to be unusually exuberant on this particular visit, whereas MARCELLO appeared to be upset and whether this is caused by MARCELLO's recent health problems or TRAFFICANTE's visit, is not known.

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On 1/31/67, NO 1457-C-TE advised that on the morning of 1/30/67, TRAFFICANTE became very upset because he passed some blood and that CARLOS MARCELLO had made an appointment for TRAFFICANTE with a proctologist named Dr. HEBERT. He remarked that later during the morning, CARLOS MARCELLO made a local telephone call and informed the party with whom he was conversing, that "the man" was there and wanted to look at the plant. He remarked that TRAFFICANTE apparently told his wife that he was leaving to look at a building and possibility exists that this was main purpose of TRAFFICANTE's trip to New Orleans.

He remarked that TRAFFICANTE's wife does not plan to accompany SANTO to New York where he is due to appear on 2/16/67, as she feels such trip might seriously jeopardize her insurance claim resulting from a recent accident.

During the evening of 1/30/67, TRAFFICANTE indicated to the MARCELLO brothers and their respective spouses, that he wanted them to be his guests in Miami sometime during February when he intends to have a very private dinner party for FRANK SINATRA.

On 2/1/67, NO 1457-C-TE related that TRAFFICANTE and his wife had departed the New Orleans area during the afternoon or evening of 1/31/67, and that prior to leaving, TRAFFICANTE had picked up some X-rays to take with him.

Information from records of the General Telephone Co. of Fla. were made available on 1/19/67, by Mrs. SHIRLEY NONNENBERG, Centralized Toll Investigations, and on 1/24/67 by Mr. GENE MASON, Security Department.

Extended investigative period occasioned by desire to include results of investigation conducted by an auxiliary office, which was not available at time of last report.

On 1/5/67, Det. Sgt. TREVOR LLOYD-HUGHES, Criminal Intelligence Squad, New Scotland Yard, London, England, advised that he has been unable to locate any record of TRAFFICANTE having visited United Kingdom within the past three years.

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INFORMANTS:

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The following were contacted by SA JOHN A. AMBLER unless otherwise indicated or where identity of contacting Agent was unknown:

TP T-1 is NO 1457-C-TE

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TP T-2 is Mr. H. H. SELBY, TWA, Tampa International Airport (BY REQUEST)

Instant report

SA HOWARD K. RUTHERFORD

Instant report

SA WENDELL W.

HALL

GONZALEZ ASENJO, Caribbean Travel Agency, Miami (BY REQUEST)

TP T-4 is MM 606-C

TP T-3 is RICARDO

Instant report

SA WENDELL W. HALL

TP T-5 is MATHEW BART, Valet Parking, Miami International Airport (BY REQUEST)

TP T-6 is PCI GUILLERMO PORCEL

137-1434-11

TP T-7 is TP 287-C

137-1389-52

TP T-8 is TP 41-C

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TP T-9 is PCI PAT

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TP T-10 is PCI CIRRO 137-1386-15

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TP T-11 is TP 97-C	137-360-218	<i>i</i> .
TP T-12 is TP 203-C	137-1049-69	
TP T-13 is TP 197-C	137-262-147	
TP T-14 is Mrs. GEORGE HUBER, 528 N.E. 72nd St., Miami (BY REQUEST)	Instant report	SA WENDELL W. HALL
TP T-15 is PCI BARBARA JANE GODFREY	137-1548-15	SA ADOLPH R. MARX, JR.
TP T-16 is TP 182-C-TE	137-1028-157	SA JAMES B. HAFLEY
TP T-17 is MM 1003-C-TE	MM 137-2913	٠,
TP T-18 is PCI TOM CANDELERI	137-233-51	
TP T-19 is PCI CONSTANTINO GARCIA	137-954-29	SA PATRICK T. LAFFEY
TP T-20 is Mr. ROY GARVIN, Mgr., Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co.,	92-1-3670	SA JOHN P. MCGUIRE
Brunswick, Ga. (BY REQUEST)		
TP T-21 is TP 296-C	137-1400-24	SA ROYAL L. BLASSINGAME
TP T-22 is PCI EMERY CHARLES MIETZ	CG 137-6186	SA CURTIS A. HESTER
TP T-23 is TP 120-C	137-460-202	
TP T-24 is PCI SAM MONDELLO	137-1382-16	
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TP T-25 is PCI ARMANDO RIOS	137-1367-17	SA BARRY WILLIAM RYAN		
TP T-26 is TP 225-S	134-327A-39	tt tt		
TP T-27 is CV 723-C	CV 137-2207	SA CHARLES D. VANCE		
TP T-28 is Mr. GUION OSBORNE, Commercial Mgr., Ohio Bell Telephone Co., Youngstown, Ohio (BY REQUEST)	TP 92-740-1			
TP T-29 is TP 280-C	137-1100-48			

JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

AT JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Will contact appropriate officials, Southern Bell Telephone Co. and ascertain subscriber to telephone number 389-7711, called 12/30/66, from the TRAFFICANTE Tampa, Fla. residence. Will thereafter conduct appropriate credit and criminal record check and if such checks do not preclude same, will interview to determine association.

* AT DAYTONA BEACH, FLA.

Will report results of previously requested interview of Mr. GEORGE POLERA, American Tallow Co.

MIAMI DIVISION

AT MIAMI, FLA.

(1) Will conduct appropriate preliminary investigation concerning JOHN PASSARELLI, 8260 N.E. 4th Place, whose 1966 black over yellow Cadillac was observed at TRAFFICANTE's residence 1/10/67. Will, if such preliminary investigation

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